

WESTERN ARMORY.

RESOLUTIONS

OF

THE LEGISLATURE OF INDIANA,

ASKING

That the location of the contemplated armory be made within that State.

FEBRUARY 19, 1844.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

A JOINT RESOLUTION relating to a United States armory on the western waters.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That our Senators in Congress be instructed, and our Representatives requested, to vote for, and use all honorable means to have, the contemplated United States armory for the western States located within our State; and, after examining the report of the commissioners of the United States, heretofore appointed to examine and report on the subject, to make such representations to Congress and to the War Department as may be deemed proper and necessary to effect the object in view. Indiana certainly presents a central and secure position, unsurpassed water power, cheap and abundant materials, and a facility of intercourse, east, west, north, and south, not attainable elsewhere without expending more time and money; and notwithstanding her many advantageous enticements, the sunshine of Government favor has yet to shine upon her borders.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Governor to forward a copy of this joint resolution to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, so soon as the same shall be approved by him.

A. L. ROBINSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JESSE D. BRIGHT,
President of the Senate.

Approved January 18th, 1844.

JAS. WHITCOMB.

